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## Haganah 'Against' Sabotage

Jerusalem, Oct. 21.

An official of Haganah, most powerful of the three Jewish underground movements in Palestine, said that his organisation was restricting current activities to political manoeuvring and was opposed to assassinations and acts of sabotage.

The official quashed rumors that Haganah might move to stamp out "extremist elements" in the other two underground organisations—the Stern gang and the Irgun Zvai Leumi.

He told interviewers: "We will take no action against them now, because we cannot afford to fight our own people while we are facing a stronger enemy outside—the mandatory power of Britain."

An informant who called himself an "adjutant of the Haganah general policy staff," said that "the last Haganah activity of a direct nature was the blowing up of bridges on June 16 which, we felt, was necessary to demonstrate to both the British and the Arabs that Jewish forces existed in this country."

Jerusalem was quiet, although soldiers manned Bren guns at barbed-wire barricades adjacent to the Jewish sections, on which a dawn to dusk curfew has been imposed. Several curfew-violators were arrested on Saturday night.

(In London, Exchange Telegraph reported from Jerusalem that the steamer "Penice," which brought 447 illegal immigrants from La Spezia, Italy, last May, had been intercepted off the Palestine coast with 600 persons aboard).—Associated Press.

## P.A.W.A. Survey Flight

San Francisco, Oct. 21.

Pan American World Airways is scheduled to begin a 24,000 mile operational survey flight to 10 principal cities of the Orient.

The clipper "Westward Ho" is due to take off from San Francisco at 0600 GMT on Nov. 21 for Honolulu, the first scheduled stop on the trip, which is expected to take about 35 days, and touch Midway, Wake, Guam, Tokyo, Shanghai, Canton, Calcutta, Rangoon, Bangkok, Saigon, Singapore, Batavia, Manila and thence return to San Francisco.

Experts of Pan American's Pacific-Alaska Division and representatives of the United States Government were to be on board the clipper. They will survey routes to Japan, China, Indochina, Thailand, Malaya, Burma, Java and India recently certified to Pan American by the Civil Aeronautics Board.

The Airline said that the regular service over these routes will be inaugurated when landing rights are obtained by the United States Government.

Captain G. F. Maxwell, operations manager of Pan American Pacific-Alaska Division will be in command of the survey. Commander of the clipper will be Captain W. M. Pryce, who has flown about 1,200,000 miles.—Associated Press.

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# REPATRIATES' PETITION TO NANKING

## Request For Case To Be Taken Up On A Higher Level

### Claim Against Dutch Reduced

(By Margaret Bradbury)

A petition addressed to the Nanking Government requesting that their case be taken up immediately with the Dutch authorities was delivered to Mr. T. W. Kwok, China's Special Commissioner for Foreign Affairs in Kwangtung and Kwangsi, yesterday by the 1,700 Chinese workers repatriated here from Java.

This action on the part of the Chinese workers follows a week of stormy negotiations with welfare, police and Chinese Secretariat officials, who have failed to persuade them to disperse and return to their places of origin in other parts of China.

At their Aberdeen camp and To Yuen hostel they are still holding out for payment from the Dutch mining firms who contracted them to work in Java just before the occupation, but their earlier claim for 519 Dutch guilders—or about H.K.\$700—has now dropped to \$200, one suit of clothing and one blanket each.

This was again refused them on Saturday by Hong Kong authorities who repeated their offer of free transportation and food from the Colony.

#### Unofficial Offer

At the same meeting an unofficial offer was made by a small group of Chinese to raise subscriptions in Hong Kong for the purpose of distributing \$50 to each repatriate, plus one suit of clothes and one blanket.

This was also refused although the repatriates were advised by Assistant Commissioner Mr. C. Y. Leung, to accept because, as he pointed out, negotiations might take from two to six months, during which time the Chinese workers would be without means of support in the Colony. Mr. Leung suggested that the repatriates should return to their homes and leave behind them a small number of representatives.

## Mediate, Says Gen. Carlson

(By James D. White)

San Francisco, Oct. 20.

President Truman should invite Soviet Russia to join with the United States in mediating the Chinese civil war, Brigadier-General Evans Carlson, retired United States Marine Corps officer, suggested in a message read to the national conference on China and the Far East.

Carlson was scheduled to preside over the meeting but a heart ailment kept him at his Portland home. Carlson thus advanced one of the first concrete proposals in the conference which during the past three days has concentrated on criticising American policy in the Orient and demanding withdrawal of American troops there.

Carlson said that Russia "by virtue of a continuous border cannot but have a profound interest in a friendly China." He said that both Russia and the United States should guarantee "that neither nation will seek or accept military bases in the republic of China nor provide material and other support to any political, military or other group in China, until a peace agreement has been reached and duly implemented."

Carlson said he thought Russia would accept such a proposal and that it would remove a serious potential for war in the Far East.—Associated Press.

## India To Have China Ambassador

Nanking, Oct. 21.

The Chinese Foreign Office announced today that the Government of China and India have decided to elevate the status of their respective diplomatic missions to the rank of Embassies.

The Indian Charge d'Affaires, Captain L. S. Hassan, confirmed the news but said that the name of the first Indian ambassador-designate will not be disclosed for some time, although as from tomorrow, the Indian Agency-General's office in Nanking will assume the status of an embassy. Foreign Minister Wang Shih-chieh commented: "This is an important development. We are looking forward with great pleasure to the exchange of full-fledged Chinese and Indian ambassadors."—Reuter.

## Housing Shortage Everywhere

Washington, Oct. 21.

The U.S. Army reported that its efforts to reunite families with soldiers overseas are bogging down in a morass of difficulties over housing and transportation.

The War Department said that the outlook is "generally dark." The statement blamed "a drab overseas housing picture" and "an economy-dictated shortage of vessels suitable for movements of dependents."

It added that "in spite of the efforts of theatre commanders to make available existing housing and improvising other quarters for use by family groups, there is every indication that the situation will become considerably worse in the months ahead."

Surveys have shown that there is not enough housing in any theatre in the world where United States troops are stationed to provide quarters for all dependents of Army personnel and civilian employees.

In Japan, most dwellings are deemed below the minimum standards of sanitation and plumbing must be installed. The situation is the same in Germany. In six months ending September 30, the War Department reported, approximately 18,000 were sent overseas to join husbands and fathers.—Associated Press.

## Copy To London

London, Oct. 21.

Britain has received a copy of the latest Turkish note to the Soviet Union, handed last Friday by the Turkish Foreign Minister, Hasan Saka, to the Soviet Charge d'Affaires in Ankara, a Foreign Office spokesman said today.

The note, it is understood, rejected the latest Soviet proposal for the basis of a revision of the 1936 Montreux Convention on the control of the Black Sea Straits, but expressed the Turkish Government's willingness to attend a conference to discuss the matter.—Reuter.

## M. Molotov Mum

(By Paul Scott Rankine)

Aboard the Queen Elizabeth, Oct. 20.

M. Molotov today refused to comment on Friday's broadcast on foreign policy by Mr. James Byrnes the United States Secretary of State.

The newspapermen had submitted questions to the Soviet Minister asking him for his views on the Byrnes speech—the United States Secretary of State broadcasting from Washington described himself as disturbed over the continued, if not increasing tension between the United States and the Soviet Union, and on the

German questions before the Council of Foreign Ministers. The reporters expressed regret at a joint meeting today of British and United States correspondents that M. Molotov had not seen them earlier "when in touch with world affairs at the beginning of the voyage."

#### "Absurd"

M. Pavlov, the spokesman for M. Molotov, described to Reuter as "an absurdity" that Marshal Stalin would visit the United States in November in the liner Aquitania, as reported in a Halifax, Nova Scotia newspaper quoting a "highly placed" source.

The paper stated that although the report was unconfirmed, its informant states a suite was being prepared for Marshal Stalin in the 40,000 ton Cunard White Star Aquitania.—Reuter.

#### THE WEATHER

An intense anticyclone covers China and Japan, pressure being highest near Peking and over Hokkaido. A trough of low pressure extends from Malaya across the Philippines to the Carolines. The typhoon appears to be situated about 600 miles E of North Luzon moving slowly N or NNE. Today's forecast: Moderate NE wind, continuous drizzle. Yesterday's weather: Maximum: 82.1 deg. Fah. Minimum: 68.4 deg. Fah. Max. Rel. Humidity: 61%. Sunshine: 11.3 hours. Rainfall: Nil.

## COURT MARTIAL STOPPED

Singapore, Oct. 21.

The court-martial of Captain G. E. Wardsworth, R.A.M.C., which began on October 14 on charges of using insubordinate language to a superior officer, assaulting a military policeman and assaulting a number of Indian of other ranks on board the hospital ship "Malahang" anchored in Singapore on September 2, has been stopped by order of Lieutenant-General Sir Montague Stopford, Commander-in-Chief of the Allied Land Forces in Southeast Asia.

It is understood that the court-martial has been stopped because a portion of the evidence taken has proved inadmissible.—Reuter.

Athens, Oct. 20.

The Greek Minister of Justice, Mr. Janos Hatzipanos has drafted a law providing life imprisonment for those found in possession of British military equipment and for those buying, selling or accepting such equipment.—Reuter.

## "QUEEN ELIZABETH"

New York, Oct. 21.

The giant 85,000-ton liner "Queen Elizabeth" reached New York harbour at sunrise today. There was no sign of labour trouble likely to interfere with her docking as she neared the Cunard up-town dock.—Reuter.

## Archbishop Victor Petition

Shanghai, Oct. 21.

Hundreds of Russian residents here today signed a petition urging the Soviet Consul-General to intervene and seek the release of Archbishop Victor, who was arrested by the Chinese police on Saturday on unspecified charges.

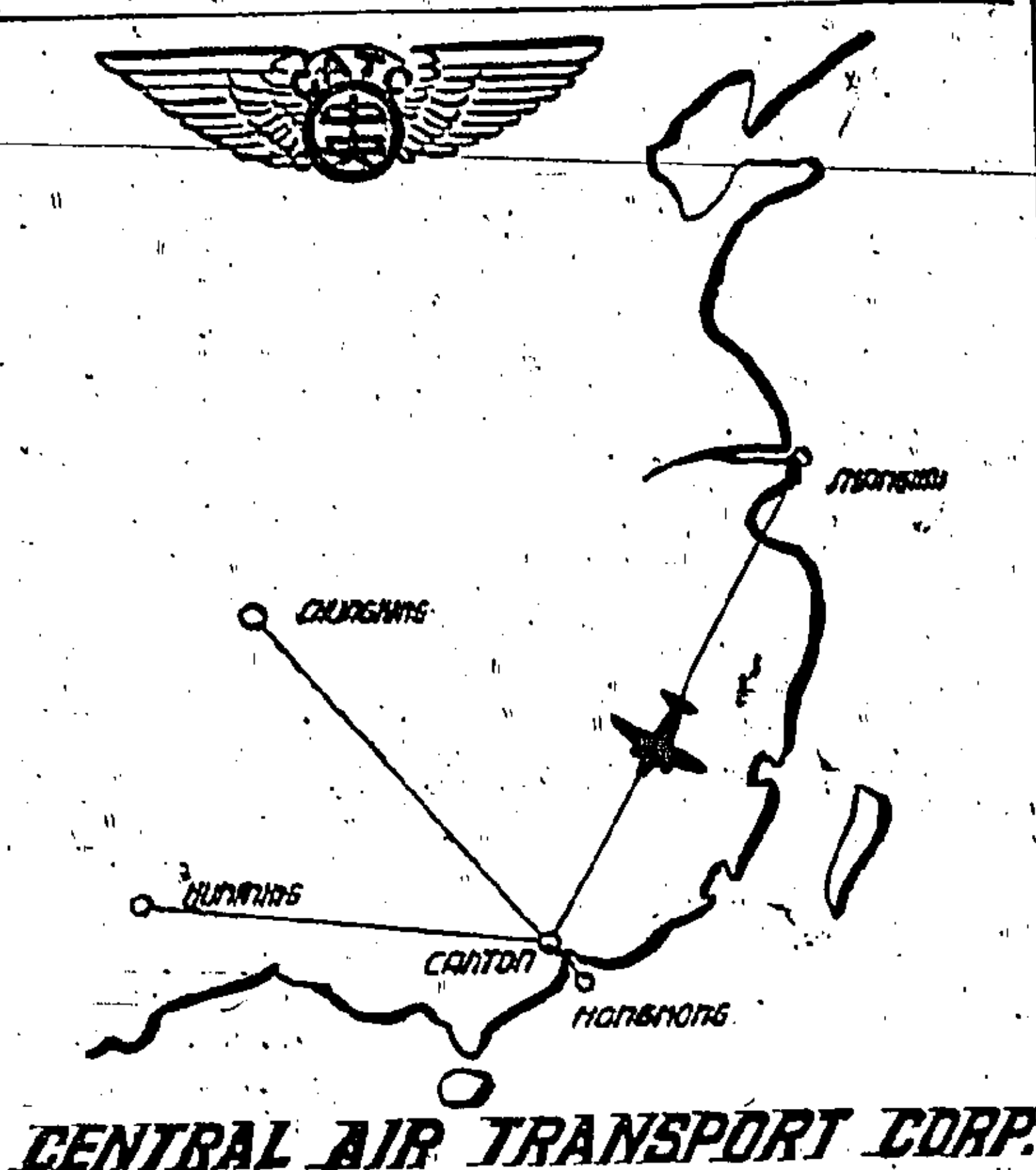
Special prayers also were offered by many for the Archbishop, who heads the Russian orthodox mission in China, and is representative of Patriarch Alexis of Moscow and all Russia.

The Archbishop in his cell meanwhile, refused to take food offered by the Chinese police.

The "Russian Daily News" termed his arrest the result of a "sad misunderstanding," adding, "we categorically protest against it and demand the release of the Archbishop, who is not guilty of any crime."

Earlier, he had been involved in a controversy with Bishop John, who is head of the White Russian Orthodox Church here, and who had refused to turn over to him the cathedral and other former Czarist church property.—Associated Press.





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#### EUROPE'S FUTURE

Not for the first time, Gen. Smuts stood forth in his recent speech at The Hague as an advocate of a federated Europe, co-operating to produce a new "flowering of the European genius" in happy contrast to the depressing picture which many nations must form of the Continent today. Failing such a federation in the immediate future, he pleaded for at least the creation of regional groups, economic, if not political, which might lift the smaller Powers out of their precarious position—the formation of a European Economic Council on lines already recommended by a Committee of the United Nations. To his Dutch audience, whose Government have this year concluded a Customs union with their neighbours in Belgium and Luxembourg, designed to develop into a full economic integration, the prospect of a more extensive regional agreement must appear both attractive and practicable. Nor will the ideal of a political federation of Western Europe seem unduly visionary to the Low Countries, in whose capitals Mr. Churchill's advocacy of the same proposal has been resoundingly applauded in the past year.

Mr. Churchill, to whom Gen. Smuts paid deserved tribute as "our greatest European, the saviour of Europe in her darkest hour," has indeed repeatedly put forward the idea of a United States of Europe—most recently in Zurich and again when he received the freedom of Blackpool last week. Everywhere the common man has echoed his words: "Europe arise." Everywhere, leading statesmen are known to have expressed private approval for his theme. Yet even the most modest regional pacts in Western Europe still halt—the Low Countries' Customs union apart—for fear of creating those suspicions of "splitting into two camps" against which Gen. Smuts himself spoke so eloquently in Paris. There is in fact no reason whatever to see in such regional pacts, blessed in advance by the San Francisco Charter, any hostility to other nations. When M. Molotov has just explained the Slav group's common attitude on the ground that "the young Slav democracies are defending their national independence and new methods of national development," countries further west should have no qualms about defending their own national independence, and their old methods of national development by similarly drawing together.

Perhaps it is only the initiative which is lacking. A beginning might have been made by cementing ties between France and Britain a year or more ago, had Gen. de Gaulle been as favourable at the time to this grouping as he has subsequently become. To suggest, as Gen. Smuts has done, that the smaller Powers should take up a project which larger countries hesitate to handle implies a self-confidence among these smaller States which few of the Governments of the liberated countries may yet feel. But someone in Europe must surely take action soon if the fabric of our common civilisation is not, for lack of political and economic cement, to disintegrate.

#### Reds Back Conscription

London, Oct. 20.

A resolution to fight conscription because of the Government's foreign policy in Greece, Indonesia and Palestine was defeated today at the conference of the Young Communist League.

Replying to the proposal, Mr. Murdoch Taylor, former Secretary of the League, said they would be betraying the men who served during the war and those already called up if a real fight was made against conscription. "Bear in mind that the spirit in a conscripted army is far more progressive and politically conscious than the regular army. It can be a powerful instrument for true democracy," he said.—Reuter.

## Resolution On Colonies At T.U.C. Conference

Brighton, Oct. 20.

India, Germany and Greece and the World Federation of Trade Unions will be among the important international and colonial questions discussed at this week's Trades Union Congress conference which begins here tomorrow. The whole of Thursday, it is understood, will be devoted to these issues—the same day that Mr. Clement Attlee, the Prime Minister, will address the conference.

Among the resolutions on international policy will be that of the Fire Brigade Union, which is strongly Left Wing, asking that recognition of India's rights to independence should be accompanied by the freeing of India's sterling balances as a means to accelerate improvement of Indians' standard of living, and that of the Electrical Trade Union calling for condemnation of the foreign policy of the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin.

Some of the other resolutions will call for active support of the Colonial Trade Union movement and for a mission of enquiry into the Colonies and for larger Government grants for colonial development.

#### Foreign Affairs

During the week fraternal delegates from friendly unions will address the conference. They will include M. Louis Saillant, General Secretary of the World Federation of Trade Unions, and Mr. M. P. Tarasov, International Secretary of the All-Union Central Council of the Soviet Union.

#### Loyalty to the World Federation

of Trade Unions and greater publicity for its activities will also be demanded. Special issues which may be debated include the position of trade unions in Germany where the World Federation sent a commission to study conditions early this year. A crucial debate on foreign affairs however, may well arise on the section of the report dealing with Greece.

#### Greek Interest

The British Trade Unions are pledged to take an interest in the freedom of organisation of Greek Trade Unions because the British delegation supervised the Greek Trade Union elections which have since been annulled by the Greek constitutional court. That elected Greek Trade Union leaders have been prevented from continuing their activities by the Greek Government which has appointed new provisional leaders is another factor which will make this a controversial issue.

#### Protests by the World Federation

of Trade Unions about this have so far been unavailing and many delegates will want to know what the General Council has done to make the British Government intervene with the Greek Government on behalf of Trade Union rights.—Reuter.

#### WAR WARNING

San Francisco, Oct. 20.

Congressman Hugh de Laey declared before 600 delegates at the China-Far East Conference that unless United States foreign policy in China was changed, the United States might be involved in a third world war. The conference was summoned to demand that the United States should discontinue assistance to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek.

#### CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"Oh, I beg your pardon! I thought you were my husband!"

## Russian Government Changes

London, Oct. 20.

An expansion of the Russian Government, involving the creation of several new ministries and the appointment of fifteen new junior ministers, was announced by Moscow Radio today.

All ministries are concerned with practical undertakings ranging from food reserves and domestic animal breeding to manufacture of surgical instruments, zoology and the film industry.

At the same time Georgiy Malenkov, 45-year-old, member of the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet of the U.S.S.R., and one of the five secretaries of the Central Committee of the Communist Party, has been appointed one of the deputy chairmen of the Soviet Cabinet, of which Generalissimo Stalin is head.

In view of his new appointment, M. Malenkov has been released from his duties as a member of the Supreme Council of the U.S.S.R. (Soviet Parliament). Reuter.

## You May See Them Yet

Berlin, Oct. 20.

U.S. military government HQS. state that official photographs taken at the execution of the 10 Nazi war criminals in Nurnberg on Wednesday will be reviewed by the Allied Control Council today to decide whether any shall be released for publication.

Reports from Nurnberg on Wednesday said that an official Army photographer only took pictures of the corpses cut off from the gallows. Two photographs are being made of each, one with the body clothed and the other with the corpse unclothed.

Previous indications have been that the pictures, labeled "top secret," were to be used for historical and record purposes only.—Associated Press.

## OPPRESSION IN POLAND

Warsaw, Oct. 21.

The Polish Peasant Party leader and Vice-Premier, Mikolajczyk, alleged last night that the security police had arrested 915 officials and members of his Party in what he claimed was an effort to paralyze the Party before the opening of the election campaign. He also said that 94 members of the Party had been murdered since May and that others had "disappeared."—Associated Press.

## Pandit Nehru Has Narrow Escape

Peshawar, Oct. 20.

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, Vice-President of the Interim Government of India, completed his journey from Khyber Pass to Peshawar with a heavily reinforced escort after tribesmen had stoned and fired at his convoy in the Pass.

Tanks were deployed as a security measure at the entrance to Peshawar. His escort, which during the incident in the Pass, had to await the order to

fire, this time had instructions to "shoot your way through if necessary."

Earlier in the morning, Mr. Nehru had remarked to pressmen: "These tribesmen are uncivilised, but civilisation could have been brought to them and it can be brought to them."

During the incident in the Pass the convoy was in a precarious position with tribesmen shooting towards the road from either side. Mr. Nehru sat erect and calm in the car as bullets sang through the air and rifles cracked and popped from the mountainside.

It was over in a few minutes. Troops cleared the road and the convoy dashed forward to safety.

The party, which included Dr. Khan Sahib, Premier of Northwest Frontier Province, and his brother, Mr. Khan Abdul Jozal Congress leader, drove on to Peshawar, where they arrived at lunchtime.

The Finance Minister of the Northwest Frontier Province, who was in the leading car, said that as the convoy was driving uphill it was stopped by a man who indicated the presence of tribesmen on the hillside. The tribesmen then came down from the hillside in front of the first car and along the roadside and the stone-throwing began. Apart from two press correspondents, the whole party escaped injury from both bullets and stones, but there was hardly a car in the convoy with intact windows.—Reuter.



# RUSSIANS EVERYWHERE

## Sumner Welles Surveys The World

### PLOT AGAINST THE POPE?

London, Oct. 21. The Exchange Telegraph reported that police guarded the route taken by Pope Pius from his summer residence to the Vatican yesterday following a report that a Yugoslav woman would make an attempt on the Pontiff's life. The agency said information was received that an attempt was planned in "revenge" for the "excommunication of Yugoslavs concerned in the trial and conviction of Archbishop Stepinac on charges of 'crimes against the people.'" — Associated Press.

### Cardinal Griffin's Appeal

London, Oct. 21. Bernard Cardinal Griffin appealed yesterday for the release of Archbishop Stepinac of Yugoslavia, "a great and innocent man" who dared object "in a country where at present no objection is tolerated."

Stepinac's very refusal to be intimidated led to his arrest and sentencing to 15 years of hard labour, the Cardinal declared in a statement issued during a day of prayer for the Archbishop.

"Throughout the war the Archbishop's voice was raised, and raised alone inside Croatia, against Nazism and all its works," the statement said, adding:

"In Yugoslavia today, there are thousands of men, women and children, Orthodox as well as Roman Catholic, Communists as well as anti-Communists, Serbs as well as Croats, Jews as well as Gentiles, who owe their very lives to the intervention of the Archbishop." — Associated Press.

### Agreement On Cartels

London, Oct. 21. British and Dutch industrialists today announced an agreement on "the useful function" of cartels.

The communique announcing the results of a London discussion said "there are many industries where private and international industrial agreements can fulfil a useful function in promoting orderly development of world production and marketing."

The conferees were representatives of the Federation of British Industries and the Netherlands Federation of Industries.

The communique said the conferees were "in full agreement that safeguards on a basis to be carefully defined would have to be applied by the respective National Governments to protect interests of the consumers." — Associated Press.

## American Policy At Fault

New York, Oct. 21. Sumner Welles, former Assistant Secretary of State, in his new book "Where are We Heading?" (published by Harpers), takes the view that the end of World War II proved less effective than was hoped in diminishing the chances of world war III, and he asks where the mistakes were made and what can be done to recover security lost.

In an exhaustive survey of the four corners of the earth, the former Government authority investigates United States relations within the western hemisphere and abroad in the east and west and pays special attention to the more notorious trouble spots.

Wherever he looks, he sees Russia in the background. The Soviets enter the scene on the first page of his book and stay there until the last.

The late President Roosevelt, he says, worked specifically to solve the United States-Soviet problem and had good reasons to expect success. Welles too takes the view that this problem can be solved, for he writes of "the insane delusion that Democracy and Communism cannot simultaneously exist."

Since the death of Roosevelt, however, Welles contends, ground has been lost fast. The reason, in Welles' opinion, is that the United States has not been as "tough" with Russia as would be justified by the fact of joint adherence by the two powers to the principles of the Atlantic Charter and the Yalta Agreement.

In this, this country has failed to insist upon the right of peoples to a government of their own choice, upon sovereign equality for all nations and upon free elections in central and eastern Europe, he says.

Apparently suspicious of "foggy-minded Liberals," Welles condemns more than he blames Peron of Argentina; the Nationalist Government in China, and the British course in Greece—by which Americans who once fought to rid themselves of a king rejoice because the Greeks voted for one.

### Truman Criticized

Welles condemns unreservedly Marshal Tito, and sorrows for Yugoslav peasants subjected to what he calls "agrarian reform laws, farm co-operatives... and ceiling prices."

Stalin, he says, takes advantage of America's very evident relief at getting her servicemen out of uniform, and he believes that Stalin's eventual successors, possibly aggressive Army leaders, might take even greater advantage of the United States.

Perhaps Welles' severest criticism is pointed at President Truman and Secretary of State Byrnes, and the way Washington officialdom "has blown now hot, now cold." First, he says, the Americans "appease" Russia, and then stand up to her.

He would rather have the country be "firm upon great issues, conciliatory on minor issues."

New York, Oct. 21.

United Nations. — Associated Press.

## Dangerous Situation

Washington, Oct. 21. The Commerce Department said that although all time high of business inventories "do not now appear to be excessive," the situation has dangerous potentialities and could result in serious readjustments.

The Department pointed out that in the year following the end of the war in Europe inventories increased nearly \$7,400,000,000, "the greatest in record."

The Department's digest noted that "a significant feature" of the present situation is "that although inventories are high they are badly out of balance with distributors' stocks low and manufacturers' supplies deficient in many important respects."

It predicted that as inventories moved into balance "they

## Bombs Thrown At U.S. Army Posts

Frankfurt, Oct. 21. Three bomb explosions damaged American military buildings in the Stuttgart area last night and the German police said that they suspected a plot to release or kill Hjalmar Schacht, Nazi financial wizard freed at Nuernberg.

The explosions damaged an American Military Police jail and the building of two "Spruchkammer," American appointed German De-Nazification boards. Schacht, who is in a German jail in Stuttgart, is scheduled to appear shortly before one or the other "Spruchkammer."

No one was hurt in the triple bombing, at widely scattered points in the Stuttgart area. Two bombs damaged the military police jail and "Spruchkammer" in Stuttgart, and the third caused a fire at the De-Nazification Board at Backnang, 15 miles northeast of Stuttgart. Schacht was originally arrested at Backnang. "The German police theory is that the bombings were the work either of a crackpot or a

## WORLD WAR I VICTIM

London, Oct. 20. A German soldier's bullet, fired in the first World War, achieved its objective 28 years later. A coroner has ruled that the death of Ernest Ridley, 41, a World War I soldier, was "attributable to a wound received on active service."

An ear disease, result of the gunshot wound, caused meningitis which spread to his brain. — Associated Press.

## Australian Transport Tie-Up

Melbourne, Oct. 20. Forty thousand Australian railway and tramway workers today decided to cease work at midnight until their demands for increased wages and better conditions have been granted.

If the strike materialises, no trains will run in the state of Victoria, and Melbourne will be without trams for an indefinite period.

Emergency road transport services between country centres and Melbourne have been arranged and suburban bus owners and carriers have been asked to operate on tram routes to take workers to and from places of employment.

Appeals have also been made to motorists to help. — Reuter

can be expected to increase further."

Turning to the time when buying for inventories will be "cut at least to a replacement basis," the Department said the problem then will be to find new outlets for production that formerly went into inventory pipelines. — Associated Press.

## SECTION 1

### AMERICAN MAGAZINES OF GENERAL INTEREST

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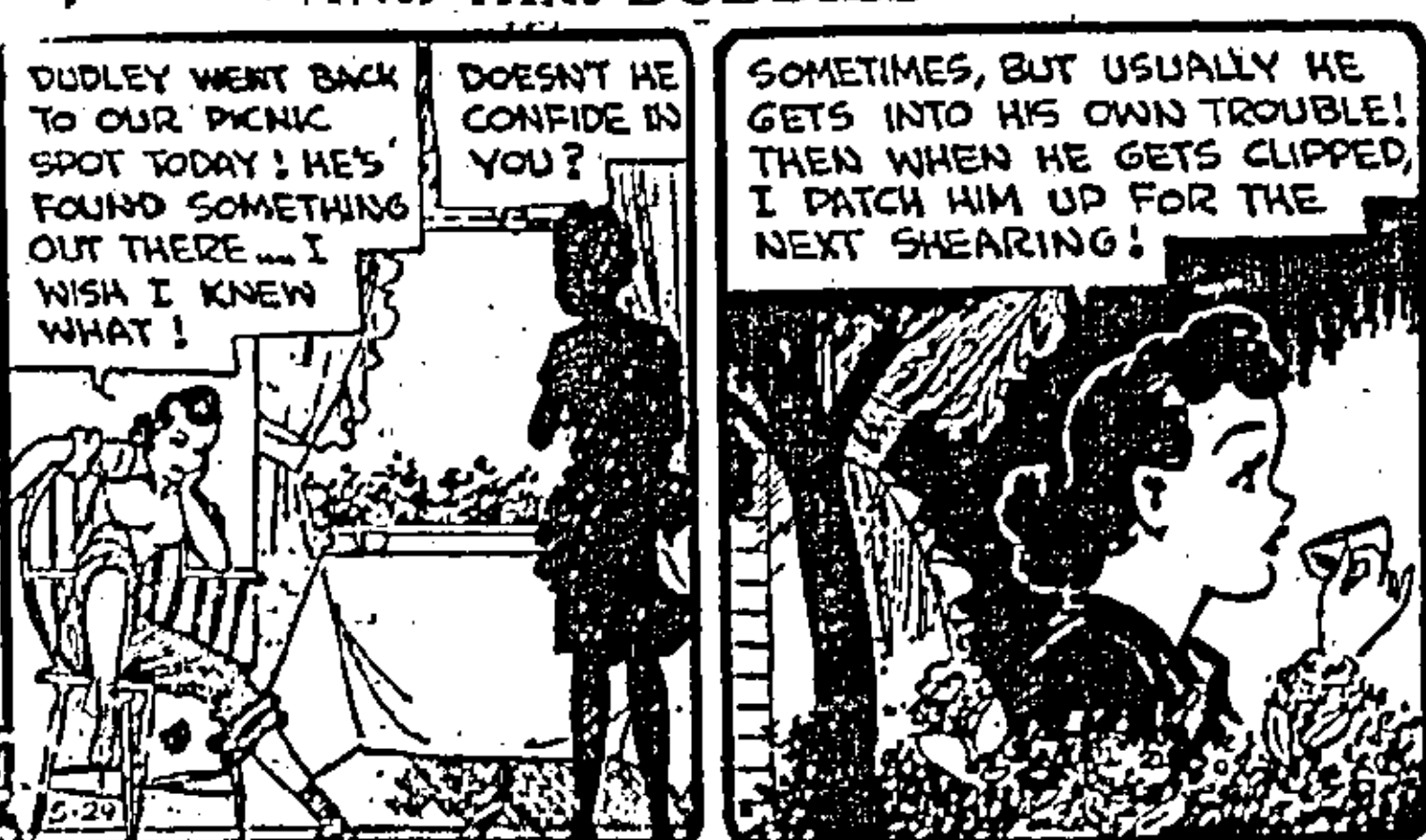
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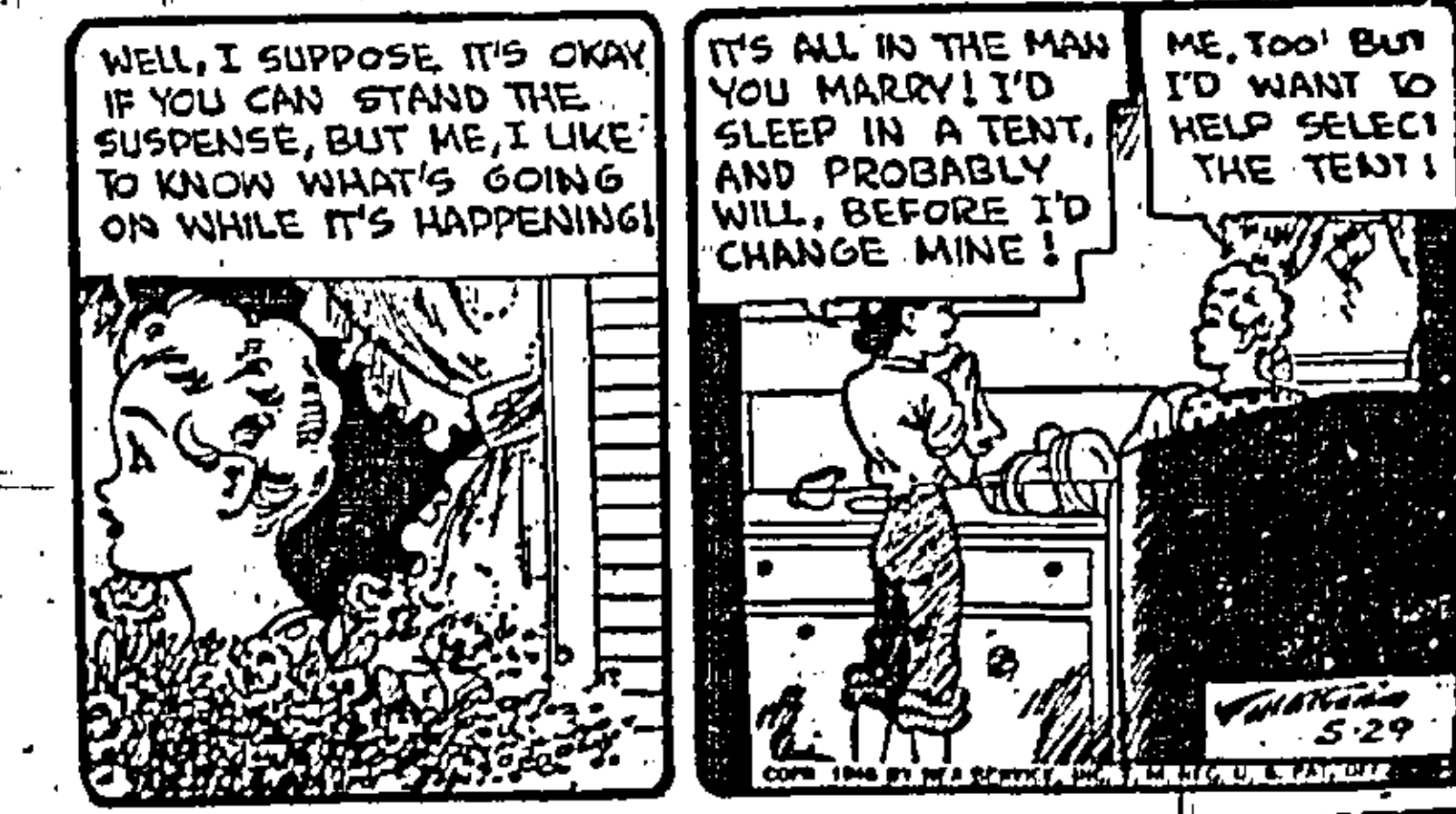
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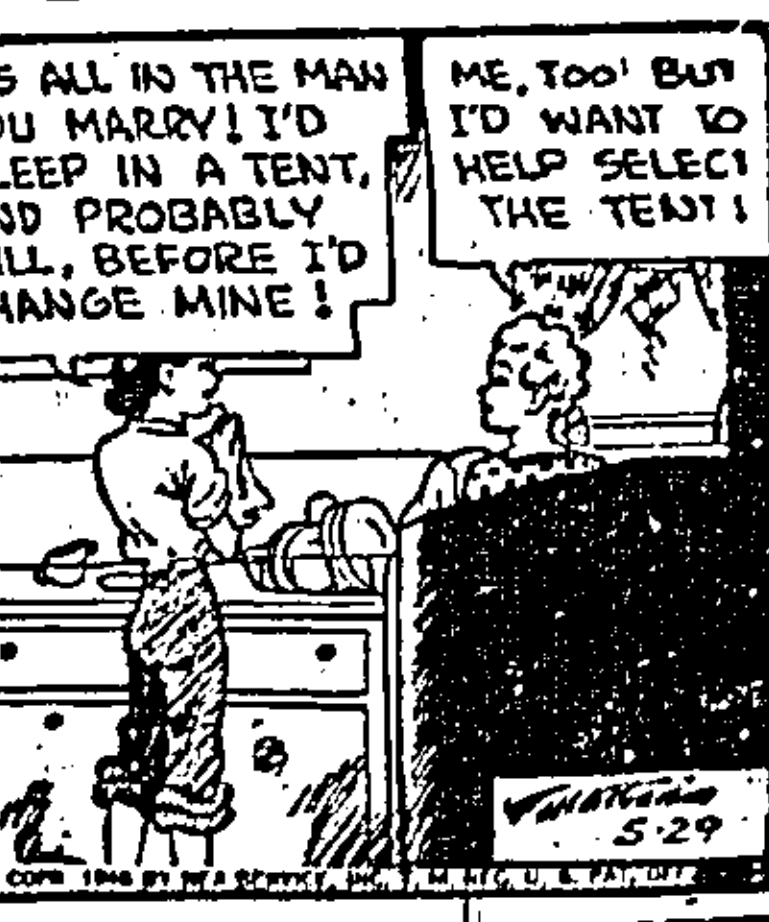
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## "JANE"









# HOW JAPAN PREPARED FOR THE WAR

(By Frank White)

Tokyo, Oct. 21.

Japan rehearsed the Pearl Harbour attack in her naval war games of August 1941, worked out the schedule of operations for the occupation of Hong Kong, Malaya, Burma, the Netherlands East Indies, the Philippines and central Pacific islands and, on Nov. 10, issued final orders for war with the United States and Britain, the International Military Tribunal was told by the prosecution today.

Opening a new phase of the trial of wartime Premier Hideki Tojo and 26 other Japanese leaders charged with plotting and carrying out Japan's aggression, associate prosecutor R. H. Quilliam of New Zealand summed up Japan's "general preparations for war."

Quilliam said that evidence would be presented showing that Japan's naval, military, and economic preparations, "which far exceeded the requirements of legitimate defence," had as their "real object fulfillment of a conspiracy to wage wars of aggression in violation of treaties as charged in the indictment."

Although the phase of the case under Quilliam will include Japan's general naval preparations, the associate prosecutor informed the Tribunal that at a later date, Admiral J. C. Richardson—who commanded the naval forces at Hawaii prior to the regime of Admiral Husband E. Kimmel—will give evidence detailing the actual naval-air attack on Pearl Harbour.

## Committed To War

Quilliam told the Tribunal that the evidence, through which the prosecution will show Japan's intentions in early 1941 to attack the United States and Britain, will come from "intelligence reports based on material held by the United States authorities prior to Jan. 1, 1945 and derived from Japanese sources."

"It is sufficient to say that examination of the material contained in the reports makes it difficult, if not impossible, to avoid the conclusion that by and in October 1941 at the latest, the Japanese Government had positively committed itself to the waging of war against the United States, Great Britain and the Netherlands and that by Nov. 10, the date of commencement of the war had been decided and published in secret operation orders."

## Nine Years Before

Quilliam also will present to the Tribunal evidence showing:

1. As early as 1932, Japan had begun integrating its economy for aggressive war.
2. As early as January 1941 "the Japanese Government had

directed the preparation and printing of military currency in denominations of countries intended to be conquered."

3. Toward the end of 1940, "the Total War Research Institute" was established by the Japanese Government with the "head appointed by the Emperor on the Prime Minister's recommendation."

It said that from 1941 to 1944, the Institute was "an important instrument in the formation, development and execution of plans of the defendants."

4. Evidence will be shown that for some years prior to 1941, Japan had strictly fortified her mandated islands in violation of treaties and had excluded foreigners to prevent the discovery of Japan's acts, which, Quilliam said, were for the purpose of furthering Japan's "illegal plans of aggression."—Associated Press.

## THE HONG KONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

### NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

The Seventy-third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the offices of the Undersigned on Tuesday, the 12th November, 1946, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December 1941 and for the period from the 1st January 1942 to the 31st December 1945.

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C. B. BROWN, Secretary.

Hongkong, 21st October, 1946.

## The Union Waterboat Company, Limited

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DODWELL & CO., LTD. General Managers. Hongkong 7th October 1946.

## THE HONG KONG CRICKET CLUB

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will be held TO-DAY at 5.45 p.m. at THE CLUB HOUSE. By Order of the Committee, CYRIL BELL, Hon. Secretary.

## CHINA UNDERWRITERS, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighteenth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of China Underwriters, Limited, will be held at the Offices of the Company, 44, Des Voeux Road Central, Hong Kong, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of October, 1946, at noon for the purpose of confirming the appointment of the Board of Directors, receiving their Report and a Statement of the Company's Affairs as at 31st December, 1945 and of electing Directors and Auditors.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

HERBERT R. STURT, Managing Director.

Hongkong, 14th October, 1946.

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The above Premises will be open to inspection on 19th and 21st October, 1946, between 10.00 a.m. and noon, and between 2.00 p.m. and 4.00 p.m. Inspection Permits will be issued by the Undersigned at their Auction Rooms.

The Auction is subject to the Conditions of Sale published in the 9th March, 1946, issue of the Gazette.

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## NOTICE WAR GRAVES REGISTRATION

There may still be a number of War Graves in the Colony which have not yet been recovered by the Graves Service.

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|                      | Catties |           |
|----------------------|---------|-----------|
| Rice, Flour & Peas   | 7.2     | \$4.5000  |
| Vegetable            | 1.9     | 1.3110    |
| Salt Cabbage         | 1.2     | 3.2000    |
| Oil                  | 7       | 1.6030    |
| Tea                  | 2       | .9520     |
| Salt Fish            | 3       | .8190     |
| Fish                 | 4       | .9280     |
| Firewood             | 10.0    | 1.2000    |
| Bean Curd, 14 pieces |         | .7000     |
| Total                |         | \$13.2812 |

## Arrivals And Departures

Latest arrivals at the Peninsula Hotel include A.N. Lewis, T.C. Evans, Dr. D.W. Gould, Mrs. Spilane, C.E. Hew, W.J. Ward, W.J. Grezior, Mrs. J.S. Colchester, A.P. Rajah, Mrs. F.J. Ling, Mrs. A.E. Foster Kemp, Mrs. K.F. Hamilton, Mrs. A. Olie, H. Safra, P.G. Brillon, A.E. Cammille, Mrs. N.S. Smith, Mrs. J.R. Harris, Mrs. W. Robertson, Mrs. C.P. Robinson, Mrs. M.M. Pugh, Mrs. M.C. Linnar, Mrs. M.I. Dook, Mr. and Mrs. I.G.R. Mann, Mrs. E.C. Tyson, Mrs. R.A. Buchanan, T. Wren, T. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. A.H. Dinnon, J.R. Handforth, Mr. and Mrs. R.R. Ryland, A. Tate, Mrs. E. Gould, I. Barfield and R. West.

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The following passengers are expected on the H.K.G. steamer tomorrow:—For Hong Kong: Messrs. Laine, Jolly, Kirkwood, Harman, Edwitt and the Misses Clark.

For Shanghai: Messrs. Corner and Fyfe, and Mr. and Mrs. Robinson. The steamer from United Kingdom will be delayed 24 hours over its scheduled time, but the steamer from Singapore is expected to arrive as usual today.

Mr. Fay Booth (A.P. Freight Agent, Hong Kong) and Mrs. Booth, with their son and daughter, were among the 100 odd passengers from San Francisco disembarking here from the "Marine Line" on Sunday. Other Hong Kong passengers included Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Armstrong, Mrs. Anne Becker, Mrs. W.G. Bell, Mrs. Elia Bennett, Mr. J.S. Black, Mrs. Sue Campbell, Mr. Marie Campton, Mrs. Emilia Decker, Mrs. Marion Hood, the Rev. Rudolph Kueper, the Rev. Arthur Lachar, Mrs. Pance, the Rev. George Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Ramsey, Mrs. Grace Roberts, Miss Louise Schell, Mr. and Mrs. H.S. Wavell, Mr. Ruwert Chow, Mr. Winston Chin, Mr. Charlie Koo Chen, Mr. Sydney Lum Lee, Miss Nellie Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Liu Shun-ye of the Chinese Legation, Canberra, were passengers who left yesterday by the ss. "Eastern" for Melbourne. Other passengers disembarking at Sydney, Melbourne or Brisbane included Mr. Paul Lishner, Capt. J.S. Dwyer, Carl, and Mrs. H. J. Goffin, Mr. and Mrs. C.P. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Curvich and 3 daughters, Captain H.J. Cairns, Mrs. Young Kwan and Miss Joyce Kwan, Mrs. J. Ruao and Mrs. A.M.R. Lee and Messrs. C.F. Newham, A.L.S. Reid and Roland Kim, Wing.

Passengers who left for Manila by the "Titandine" on Saturday included Mrs. Betty C. McGregor, Sister Angeles Diaz, Lucia and Father Jose Rio Blagos, Juan Luis Hernandez, and Alfredo Castanon Garcia. Mrs. D. D. Woods was a passenger for Sandakan.

Mr. A.B. Palmer returned to the Colony yesterday by the "Van Heut" on a round trip to Amoy. Mr. F.G.B. Mann was a passenger from Amoy.

## POST OFFICE NOTICES

### Outward Mails

Unless otherwise stated, Registered Articles and Parcels Posts close 30 minutes earlier than the time stated below:—

TUESDAY, OCT. 22

Airmail for Canton (C.A.T.C. Plane) (Reg.) 11.30 a.m. (Ord.) noon.

Formosa via Keelung (W. Sang) noon.

Shanghai (Wing Sang) noon.

Straits (Fengtien) noon.

Teankong (Kwongchowwan) (Tak-On) 3 p.m.

Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America via Vancouver B.C. (Rondeau Park) Kowloon C.P.O. (Par.) 2 p.m. (Reg.) 2 p.m. (Ord.) 2.30 p.m.; G.P.O. (Par.) 2.30 p.m. (Reg.) 2.30 p.m. (Ord.) 3 p.m.

Airmail for Bangkok, Rangoon, Calcutta, Karachi, Basra, Cairo, Johannesburg, Augusta, Harare, London, New York & Canada (B.O.A.C. Plane) Kowloon C.P.O. (Reg.) 2 p.m. (Ord.) 2.30 p.m. G.P.O. (Reg.) 2.30 p.m. (Ord.) 3 p.m.

Straits, Ceylon, East & South Africa, Egypt & Europe via London (Bencruachan) Kowloon C.P.O. (Par.) 2 u.m. (Reg.) 2 p.m. (Ord.) 2.30 p.m.; G.P.O. (Par.) 2.30 p.m. (Reg.) 2.30 p.m. (Ord.) 3 p.m.

Airmail for Chungking and Kunming (C.N.A.C. Plane) (Reg.) 3 p.m. (Ord.) 3.30 p.m.

Macao, Tientsin and Shekai (Kwong Sai) 8.30 p.m.

Canton (Sai-On) 4 p.m.

## PRINTING ASSOCIATION "REQUESTS"

"We would like it to be understood that there are no external influences at work behind the presentation of our 13 point request to employers," stated Mr. Leung Chuen, of the Hong Kong Printing Association, when interviewed by the "China Mail" yesterday as to what reply had been received to their requests.

Mr. Leung said that the only object of the Association in submitting the 13 point request was to secure better living and working conditions for printers.

It was also disclosed by Mr. Leung that the Hong Kong Chinese Press Association had, on Sunday last, replied to the requests submitted. As the reply was not "entirely satisfactory" a general meeting of members of the Association was held yesterday afternoon. The "China Mail" was informed later in the evening that it had been decided to arrange for another meeting this afternoon.

"The 13 point request as it stands at present only affects printers serving with the Chinese Press, but the position of printers in the Colony's printing shops will also be reviewed, as and when the occasion arises," declared Mr. Leung.

Besides such items as bonuses, pay for overtime, the question of holidays, etc., the 13-point request contains one for a "closed shop"—Chinese newspapers are being asked to employ only workmen who are members of the H.K. Printing Association.

Convicted of having demanded \$50 with menaces a \$50-from-Leung-Kit, travelling trader, after advising him to join the Triad Society, Lun Yee, 20, junk watchman, and Ho Ching, 22, unemployed, were sentenced to one year and nine months with hard labour respectively at Kowloon Court yesterday. Both are to be recommended for banishment.



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## Analysis Of At-Bomb Tests

Washington, Oct. 20.

An analysis of the Bikini Atom bomb tests shows that soldiers in dugouts or tanks could weather the blast and heat of nearby atomic bombs and carry on fighting. This was disclosed in an interview today by Major-General Anthony J. McAuliffe, a member of the joint Research and Development Board on weapons and deputy commander of the joint task force at Bikini.

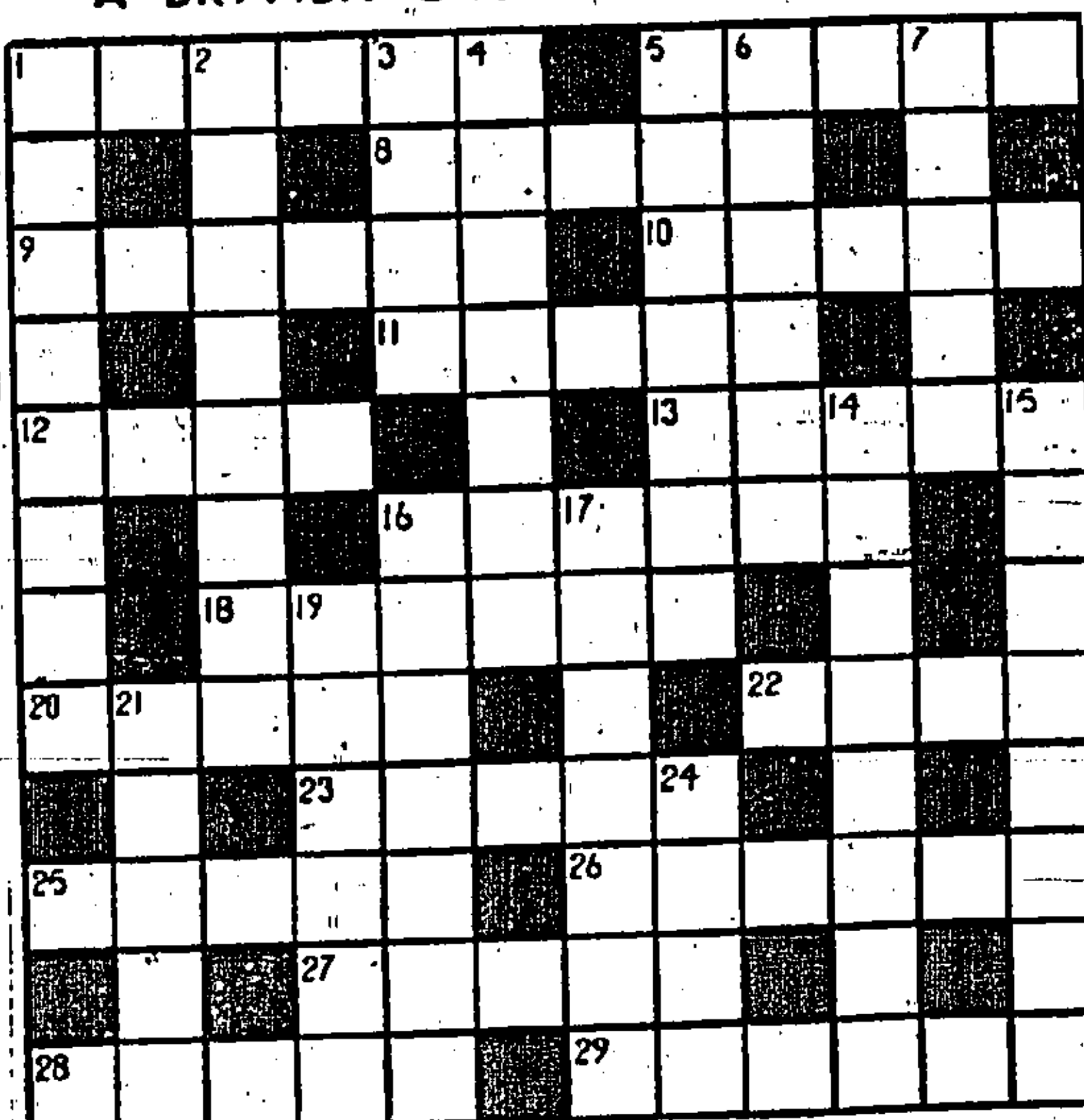
The General said that the degree of protection against instantaneous radiation and high penetration of the rays or later radioactivity would depend on the relative position of the dugouts and their construction.

The study showed that tanks, of fierce heat and the blast, but artillery and other heavy equipment near the aerial-burst first showed remarkable resistance. A great deal of wrapped foods showed no effect of radiation. "It all adds up to this: the atomic bomb is a strategic rather than a tactical weapon. I suppose the number will always be limited, which is another reason for using them against more profitable strategic targets," General McAuliffe said.

The bomb's greatest use is on a large target concentrated in one area. It has too wide an area of action to use tactically to drop when our own troops are close to the area.

The General's conclusions, based on his own observations and on the recently completed report by the Army ground forces might not, he said, be entirely conclusive in relation to Army equipment because the tests were carried out primarily under naval warfare conditions. —Reuter.

### A BRITISH CROSS WORD PUZZLE



#### Across

1. Tree.
5. Outcome.
8. Intended.
9. One of the beetle family.
10. Spiritless.
11. Exclude.
12. Formerly.
13. Shelf.
16. Long step.
18. Lifted.
20. Garb.
22. Tramp.
23. Begin.
25. Jollification.
26. Scents.
27. Temporary cessation of hostilities.
28. Sheen.
29. Nursed.

#### Down

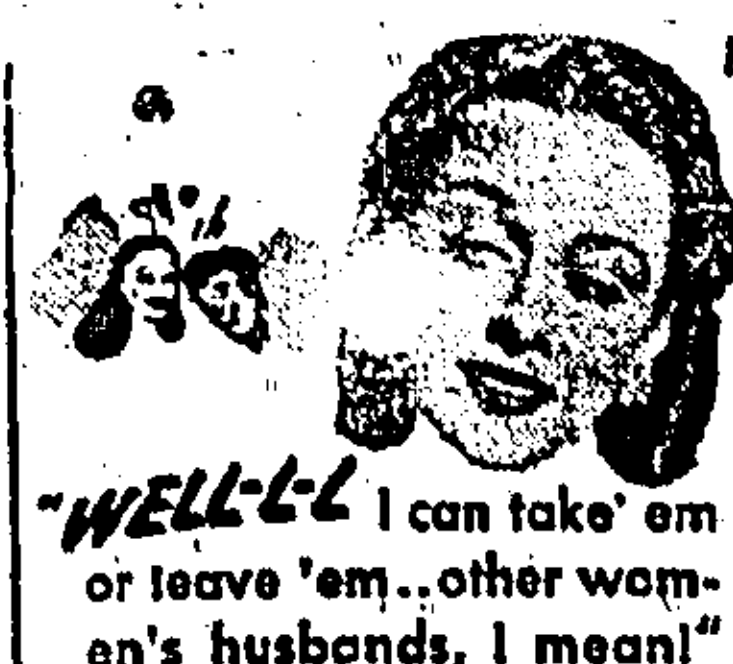
1. Reduced to dust.
2. Urgency.
3. Among.
4. Softens.
5. Void.
6. Looked hard.
7. Employing.
14. Out of shape.
15. Married.
16. Blood re-ignition.
17. Withdraw.
18. Property.
21. Drive back.
24. Pedigree.

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- DOWN:—1. Pert; 2. Runs; 3. Oboe; 4. Demure; 5. Eschews; 6. Gullies; 7. Respite; 10. Sleek; 13. Dastard; 14. Caprice; 15. Deadens; 17. Rivet; 19. Innate; 21. Glen; 22. Rear; 23. Isle.

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**Business Indices Close To Peaks**

New York, Oct. 21.

Steel production hit a new post-war high last week as other major business indices held close to previous peak levels.

The physical volume was larger in retail trade, soft coal, crude oil, electric power and motor car output.

Violent fluctuations in the commodity markets followed the expansive Government decontrol step.

Steel mills worked at 90.5 per cent of capacity, the highest since July 30, 1945 and compared with 90.4 per cent in the previous week and 66.3 a year ago.

Freight loadings totalled 899,443 against 906,848 and 754,559.

Crude oil output averaged 4,838,400 barrels daily against 4,736,566 the previous week and 3,780,650 a year ago.

**Retail Trade**

Soft coal production aggregated 12,200,000 tons compared with 12,110,000 in the preceding week and only 6,220,000 a year ago when the supervisors strike was in progress.

Automobile and truck production stepped up to 89,637 from 86,330 the previous week and 85,600 last year.

Retail trade for the country as a whole was estimated at 21 to 25 per cent higher than a year ago and moderately ahead of the previous week.

**Stock Market**

The stock market put on one big push immediately after the freeing of big chunks of American industry from Government control but lost the initiative in subsequent dealings.

Bonds followed a similar pattern as investment interest switched to preparations for the \$251,000,000 American Telephone financing programme which was approved by stockholders of the company.

Stock sales on the New York exchange totalled 7,838,525 shares during the week compared with 7,910,600 the preceding week and 9,167,540 in the corresponding week a year ago.

**Price Control**

Bond sales of \$27,310,000 for the current week compared with \$27,586,000 in the preceding week and \$39,334,000 a year ago.

A stock exchange membership sold for \$64,000 up \$3,000 and higher prices were paid for trading privileges on the coffee and sugar exchange and the produce exchange.

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## "The Law Is Clearly Laid Down"

"The law is clearly laid down and it is the duty of the public to obey that law," said Inspector Hidden of the Traffic Department when interviewed by the "China Mail" yesterday on the subject of Police raids on overcrowded tram-cars and the arrest of passengers.

## H.K. United Nations Week

The Hong Kong Rotary Club is holding a United Nations Week starting tomorrow and concluding on Oct. 30. Celebrations in other parts of the world are being conducted simultaneously under the auspices of Rotary International.

Leading members of the consular body in Hong Kong have consented to write appropriate articles which will appear daily in the press, and there will be a concluding contribution by His Excellency the Governor.

A slogan competition is being conducted under the direction of Rotarian T.R. Rowell Director of Education, with the Rotary Club offering prizes of \$150, \$100 and \$50 for the best entries. These should be submitted during the week to Mr. T.R. Rowell, Education Department, Fire Brigade Building. The competition is open to all and competitors may submit more than one slogan. All entries should be marked "Slogans" in the left hand corner of the envelope.

On Monday next at 5.30 a gymnastic display will be given by school-children on the grounds of the Hong Kong Cricket Club. It is hoped that a military band will be present to provide music.

During the week selections of appropriate music of the United Nations will be broadcast from ZBW.

On Tuesday next, the speaker at the Rotary Club dinner will be the Very Rev. Dean Rose, who has chosen "Peace and Unity" as his subject.

The Speaker at the Hong Kong Rotary Club's luncheon today at the Gloucester Hotel, Top Floor, at 12.45 p.m. will be Mr. W. J. Knight, and his subject will be "Via Cable".

## Ex-Servicemen Give Up

New York, Oct. 20. The 72 ex-servicemen who took possession of the New York State Senate building yesterday as a protest against the housing shortage, marched out today after squabbling for 20 hours.

Fired at without food and cigarettes, because a police cordon outside the building stopped all supplies coming in, they marched three abreast into the Executive chambers and presented the Governor, Mr. Thomas Dewey, with a 12-point programme.

Mr. Dewey told them: "We moved last fall with the most comprehensive housing programme in the United States. New York has led all other states in the Federal Government."—Reuter.

## RADIO

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H.K.T. 12.30 p.m.—Daily Programme Summary.  
12.32 p.m.—Sonny, Dunham and His Orchestra and The Mills Brothers.  
1.00 p.m.—News, Weather Report and Announcements.  
1.10 p.m.—Orchestral Interlude.  
1.15 p.m.—Film Memories.  
1.40 p.m.—The Boston Promenade Orchestra.  
2.00 p.m.—Close Down.  
2.30 p.m.—An Hour of Variety with Carroll Gibbons and His Orchestra.  
7.30 p.m.—Studio: Violin Recital by Vic Orr.  
7.50 p.m.—Orchestral Interlude.  
8.00 p.m.—London Relay: News.  
8.15 p.m.—The Melody Lingers On.  
8.30 p.m.—A Programme of Russian Songs and Music.  
9.00 p.m.—London Transmission Service: "They Lived to Tell the Tale".  
9.15 p.m.—Light Opera Vocal Gems.  
9.40 p.m.—Last Concerto No. 2 in A Major for Piano and Orchestra.  
10.00 p.m.—London Relay: News.  
10.05 p.m.—Orchestra: Rhapsody.  
10.15 p.m.—London Relay: A Talk—"Facts and Figures".  
10.30 p.m.—London Relay: "TMA".  
11.00 p.m.—Close Down.

## Two Seamen Who Fell On Bad Times

"These two men are seamen of some experience. They served on Allied ships during the war. Evidently they have fallen on bad times and were looking for work in the Colony."

With these words S/I Mudd of the Water Police put in a plea for two unemployed Chinese seamen, Ko Po and Ho Wing-chun, who were charged yesterday before Comdr. Ryder in the Marine Court for unlawful boarding of the "Prometheus" on October 20.

The men said they recently arrived in the Colony to look for work. Having previously served on a Blue Funnel ship they went on board the "Prometheus" in the hope of picking up something to do. Comdr. Ryder told them that this was not the way to look for work and advised them to register with the Shipping Office of the Harbour Department. In view of the plea put in by the Police, he would impose only a nominal fine of \$5 each.

## Chou En-lai In Nanking

Nanking, Oct. 21. Direct, face-to-face talks on top level opened here this morning when within an hour of his arrival from Shanghai, the Communist leader, General Chou En-lai, conferred with Marshal Chiang Kai-shek. Also present were the United States Ambassador, Mr. Leighton Stuart and a score of third party leaders.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek left at 12.45 p.m. today by air for Formosa, one hour after conferring with General Chou En-lai, after wishing General Chou and the Government and third party delegates all success in finding a speedy solution of the issues threatening to split the nation.

While Government quarters said that he had planned the trip for several days, a Communist spokesman was non-committal, saying: "We learn that the Generalissimo's trip was connected with the celebration of the first anniversary of the island's return to China. Whether this is true or not, we don't know. Up till now, we have no reason to be optimistic about the coming negotiations." This is the Marshal's first visit to Formosa.—Reuter.

## U.S.N. PARTY UNDER FIRE

Tientsin, Oct. 21. Several Chinese were wounded in an exchange of fire when three U.S. Navy personnel, travelling in a jeep to Tientsin from Tangku early yesterday afternoon, resisted the attempt by seven armed Chinese to take their weapons, according to the United States Marine Authorities. The naval party escaped unhurt and returned to Tangku. Earlier yesterday, a party of civilians and U.S. Marines while hunting in the Tangku area was reported to have been captured by armed Chinese. Two United States Marines were still held while the others were released.—Reuter.

## GOERING SUICIDE

Nuernberg, Oct. 21. The special board appointed to enquire into the suicide of Hermann Goering has temporarily suspended its investigations. Colonel B. C. Andrus, chief security officer at the Nuernberg trial, said today: "The board is waiting for a laboratory report which is not expected until tomorrow. Colonel Andrus had earlier forecast that a report on the investigations would be published today.—Reuter.

## CHESS

The following games in the eighth round of the Kowloon Chess Club's Ladder Tournament are to be played at the Peninsula Hotel to-night: J. P. de Carvalho v. L. M. Rodrigues; R. C. Gardner v. A. P. Ricci-Pereira; F. X. Se-

## "No Sense" In Boxing Board's Decision

(By Archie Quick)

A first class storm is brewing in professional boxing as the result of the British Board of Control's ruling that Freddie Mills must meet Ken Shaw, the Scottish champion, in a final eliminator for the right to fight Bruce Woodcock again for the British Heavyweight Championship.

Manager Ted Broadribb will have none of it. "I am not interested and obviously promoters will not be," he said to me.

"Mills knocked out Shaw in six rounds and Woodcock has beaten him twice. There is no sense in the Board's decision." What will happen if Broadribb refuses to bow to the Board or if a promoter cannot be found to stage the fight? My guess is that a promoter will take a chance on what should be a good thing for Mills. And I think Broadribb will change his attitude. Far better have a warning up fight with Shaw than remain idle. Anyhow Shaw cannot be so easy as Nilsson.

The Board will stand firm, I know, so Mills would get nowhere by refusing the eliminator.

Freddie, although he has no match in the offing, keeps fit by training daily with Danny Sewell as sparring partner. This Sewell is the boxer who was so big as a schoolboy that he was barred the championship. Now at 15½ years he is phenomenally big and strong and is a wonderful prospect.

## "Pillows"

True, Mills wears "pillows" when sparring but Sewell shows up well and is gaining invaluable experience. I only hope he will be nursed properly. Here is a possible future champion who can be ruined by too much early work.

How lightly we honour our champions. Wooderson raised British prestige in Scandinavia to a great height and set our team such an example that we achieved third place in the European Games at Oslo—an unthought of achievement. Yet when he arrived back at Northolt Aerodrome there were two reporters and half a dozen photographers to greet him.

## Shy Sydney

Shy little Sydney is the last to want a reception but it would have been nice if a Blackheath Harrier club official or a representative of the A.A.A. or even someone representing the Government had gone along and said thank you for a grand job of work.

Next morning the frail solicitor took train from Beckenham, walked with the crowds across London Bridge, and went to work as usual in the City not realising that he had done more for his country than Peace Conference officials can ever hope to achieve. He was just one of the crowd among City workers going back after his annual fortnight's holiday. And in the evening he trained for his attack on the British two mile record at Motspur Park. This was definitely his last "big" appearance. It is now only club runs and cross country—no Olympic Games. So says Sydney at present. We shall see.

## CAMBRIDGESHIRE CALLOVER

London, Oct. 21. Cambridgeshire callovers at the Victoria Club today were: 10 to 1 against Clare, offered; 21 to 2 taken. 100 to 9 Wayward Belle taken and offered. 100 to 7 Sayani offered. 100 to 3 Precipice offered. 22 to 1 Flag Wallah 25 to 1 Langdon Abbot and Le Boscaird taken and offered. 25 to 1 Achilles and Signalman offered. 28 to 1 Stardom taken. 33 to 1 Philadelphia Erection taken and offered. 33 to 1 Toronto offered. 33 to 1 Stars, Crouper and Whitehall offered. 40 to 1 Fighter Command taken and offered. 40 to 1 Carmanila, Eastern Silver and Picadilly, 50 to 1 Triple Bar and Rue Del Apaix all offered.—Reuter.

queira v. F. A. Fisher; Col. R. M. Whitcombe v. R. C. Tavares; H. Ballerand v. J. A. da Costa; J. Reynaud v. C. M. Sequeira.

## Don Bradman To Play

Adelaide, Oct. 20. Don Bradman's inclusion in the South Australian team to meet the MCC team in a four-day match opening here next Friday was announced today. The team will be Bradman, Craig, Doolland, English, Gogler, Hamence, James, Mann, Niblett, O'Neill and Ridings, with Gibson 12th man.

The South Australia country team to meet the M.C.C. in a two-day match on October 22 and October 23 are: C. White (captain), M. Hutchison, L. Corrie, L. Veal, D. Adams, H. Degraff, G. Tuck, C. Herbert, L. Patterson, W. Lean and C. Griffin. The twelfth man is D. Davis.—Reuter.

## Victoria

Melbourne, Oct. 20. The Victorian team to play the MCC in a match starting here on Oct. 31 will be from the following twelve men: A. L. Hassett (captain) B. A. Barnett, F. Freer, N. Harvey, I. Johnson, W. Johnson, S. Loxton, K. Meuleman, K. Miller, D. Ring, G. E. Tamblyn and G. Tribe.

Miller is on his way home from America and because of uncertainty as to whether he will be available twelve men have been selected.—Reuter.

## Souverain Not For Sale

Paris, Oct. 20. For the first time since the liberation of France Aga Khan today attended the French races at Longchamps.

One of his first gestures was to congratulate Fernand Schmitt on a brilliant performance by his three-years old Souverain in the King George VI stakes at Ascot.

The Aga Khan asked M. Schmitt whether his horse was for sale but the owner replied he had no intention of selling Souverain.

M. Schmitt told Reuter: "There is no reason for selling such a horse. I like horses and after what Souverain has done for me it would be ungrateful of me to sell him."

It is understood that M. Schmitt bought Souverain for 500,000 francs.—Reuter.

## More Cricket For Army

Through the kindness of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Cricket Clubs, who have consented to part-time use of their grounds by the army for matches and net practices, the army will get the chance to play more cricket.

The first trial match which is open to all Military Service personnel is due to be played on Sunday, Oct. 27 at 2 p.m., on the Kowloon Club ground, when it is intended to give each player a fifteen minutes' knock and a spell of bowling and fielding practice. In the near future H. Q. Land Forces and 3 Cdo. Bde. will be joining together to put a combined Army team in the field. Transport will be at the Star Ferry at 1.30 p.m. to take players to the cricket ground. Tea will be provided.

Duesseldorf, Oct. 21. A British Combined Service team beat Norway 6-0 in the Inter-Allied Service soccer tournament here this afternoon.—Reuter.

## BRITANNIA SHIELD

London, Oct. 20. Full details of the Britannia Shield competition, between Holland, France, Belgium, the United States Army in Europe, Czechoslovakia, the Royal Air Force and a team representing the British Army, have now been arranged. Shooting takes place at Bisley on Nov. 1 and later in the day, swimmers will be competing at Marshall Street Baths, London.

On Saturday, Nov. 2, there will be fencing at the London Fencing Club and boxers will engage in preliminary trials at Narringay.

A five miles cross-country race takes place at Ascot and the boxing will be concluded at Harringay.

Entertainment will be provided for the teams in the nature of visits to the House of Commons, theatres, the Britain Can Make It Exhibition and the show "Stage Door Canteen".—Associated Press.

## Matthews And Stoke City F.C.

"Stoke, Oct. 21. Mr. H. Booth, Chairman of the Stoke City Football Club, stated tonight: "The Directors will meet Matthews on Tuesday. We will discuss the recent controversy and the player will be asked to explain the statement attributed to him that he proposed to rest for another fortnight."

"Such action is not left to a player's choice or decision. It is a matter for the club directors and manager."

"We shall also discuss with Matthews the question of his training in future. For some time past we have felt it unsuitable that he should train at Blackpool. Matthews has not seen the club trainer since Sept. 21."

"Obviously some closer contact is necessary and the directors consider that in the interest of the club Matthews should train at Stoke. We propose to adopt that course."

Matthews, England right-winger, who was not chosen for the Stoke team against Arsenal on Saturday and refused to turn out for the reserves, said when interviewed tonight that it would be inconvenient in view of his hotel business at Blackpool to train at Stoke, but added: "If the directors want me to, I suppose I shall have to. I shall abide by what they say."—Reuter.

## VANDALE WINS

Paris, Oct. 20. M. Mathieu Gouchaux's three-year-old, Vandale, by Passy out of Vanille, won the one and a half mile million franc Prix du Conseil at Longchamps here this afternoon, finishing a neck in front of Yong Lo in a thrilling race.

M. Marcel Bousseac's five-year-old, Micipsa, favourite, finished third, with the British horse Fine Lad fourth.

Murren, who was second to Airborne in the St. Leger, who went over for the race, did not run.

The winner paid 86 francs for a ten-franc ticket, and 22 francs for a place.

While Micipsa and Yong Lo were fighting it out, Vandale shot forward to obtain the advantage which was retained to the finish. The winner was ridden by Walter Johnstone.—Reuter.

## USSR SOCCER CUP

Moscow, Oct. 21. Moscow's veteran Spartak football team yesterday defeated, after extra time, the heavily favoured Tiflis Dynamo by three goals to two to win the USSR football cup. It was the third time that the Georgian team had reached the finals only to meet with defeat.

There was a capacity crowd of 100,000.—Associated Press.

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